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## March 2, 2016 LETTER-MOTION - FILED VIA ECF

The Honorable Ronnie Abrams United States District Judge Southern District of New York 40 Foley Square, Room 2203 New York, NY 10007

> Re: Johnson v. FlexCo, LLC et. al.

> > Civil Action No. 15-cv-7530 (RA) **Letter-Motion to Stay Proceedings**

Dear Judge Abrams,

We represent the Plaintiff, Eric Johnson ("Plaintiff"), in the above-captioned action. Pursuant to Rules 5.2 and 7.1 of the Local Rules of the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York, Rule 13.1 of the Electronic Case Filing Rules & Instructions of the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York, and the Individual Rules & Practices in Civil Cases of Your Honor, Plaintiff, by and through his undersigned attorney, hereby respectfully moves the Court for issuance of a 30-day stay of proceedings. The basis for this request is that, since the filing this morning of Plaintiff's letter-motion to adjourn the Initial Pretrial Conference (see Docket No. 28), the parties have reached a settlement in principle, and are in the process of negotiating final settlement terms.

We respectfully ask that this case be stayed rather than discontinued, as the parties intend to request that the Court retain jurisdiction to enforce their settlement agreement. (In accordance with Your Honor's Individual Rules & Practices in Civil Cases, a copy of the settlement agreement will be provided to the Court for endorsement or included in the stipulation of settlement and dismissal.)

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Very truly yours,

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